

Vikings Face Final Foes

The Grayling High Vikings face their final foes this week as they meet the Gaylord Blue Devils at Gaylord Tuesday night and entertain the Mid Thunderbolts here Friday night in the final game of the regular season.

On Wednesday afternoon, the drawings will be held at Gaylord for the District Tournament which is slated in Gaylord next week. Four Class C teams are entered in the Gaylord tourney including besides the host team, Grayling, Kakaska and Mancelona. The four teams will meet Thursday night with the winners of the two contests meeting Saturday night to determine the tournament champion. All four teams are figured as almost equal in power and the Gaylord District tournament should be one of the best for the spectator and undoubtedly will produce three fine games.

Last week, the Vikings won two games, both non-conference frays. On Tuesday night here, the Grayling team took the measure of the Mancelona Ironmen by the close score of 56 to 52. The first period ended in a 14 all tie but by half-time Grayling worked to a 24 to 10 edge. The third quarter was about even with Grayling maintaining its lead when the score was 42 to 35.

Jim Burtch led the Vikings with 3 points. Marvin Bielski and Alan Luckstead added 3 points each, Bob Barnett 7, and Red Hamilton and Dale Pettengill 5 each. Dick Derrer with 14 was high for the Ironmen.

On Friday night, the Vikings traveled to Traverse City to meet the St. Francis five whom they easily defeated here early in the year. The Vikings were pushed hard to come home with a win 57 to 55 win.

Grayling took a 20 to 12 first quarter edge and held in the second quarter for a 30 to 23 halftime lead. St. Francis tallied a few more than Grayling in the third game but the Vikings still held 45 to 36 advantage going into the final period of play.

Burtch again lead the Vikings scoring with 21 points with Bielski and Luckstead adding 11 each.

Hamilton added 4 as did Ronnie Larson, who Coach Bruce Smith started for the first time this year. Bielski led the St. Francis five with 16 points.

The Grayling reserves were also vigorous in both games this past week as they handed the Ironmen second team a 38 to 29 defeat with Boyd Failling leading the little Vikings with 15 points. Grayling defeated the St. Francis second team Friday night by a 32 to 26 vote with Jerry Korhonen leading the way with 20 points.

Grayling Pioneer Dies At Plymouth

The death of a former resident of Grayling, Mrs. William Pratt, occurred at Plymouth, Mich., February 19.

Mrs. Pratt was born in Grayling, the daughter of Michael Hartwick. The Hartwick family was one of the first two white families to settle in Grayling.

The Hartwick Pines Park, was given by Bessie Michelson Hartwick, as a memorial to her husband, Major Edward E. Hartwick, brother of Mrs. Pratt. Another son was James Hartwick, well known throughout his life among Michigan sportsmen.

Mrs. Pratt's only surviving close relative is Edward N. Hartwick of Grosse Pointe Park.

Give Special Sermon Series

Harry L. Doty, of Traverse City, member of the Council of Seventy and District President of the Northern Michigan District, has been buried by the local congregation

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Red Cross Drive March 1-31; Goal Is Set At \$93 Million

To finance expanded service programs, including the collection and processing of thousands of additional pints of blood for conversion into gamma globulin, the new weapon against polio, the American Red Cross will launch its annual fun campaign March 1 raised, 40.3% is retained in the county and 59.2% sent to the area office. Of the monies raised above the quota 50% is retained in the county and 50% remitted to National Headquarters.

Mrs. George Quinn of the American Legion Auxiliary, drive chairman, asks that all workers attend a "kickoff" meeting in the Legion Hall basement at 8:00 P. M. Thursday evening, February 26th at 8:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Mae Jordan of Red Cross National Headquarters of St. Louis, Mo., district representative, will be present at this meeting.

Since the list of workers was announced last week three more helpers have been added, Mrs. Kenneth Allen, Mrs. Elvrey Barber and Mrs. Cleo Hinkle all of Frederic.

The Red Cross drive will begin in Crawford County next Monday. Some one will call on you. When they do won't you "Answer the Call?"

Winter Park In Good Shape

Although the weather on Friday and early Saturday was very bad, a large number of winter sports enthusiasts found the Grayling Winter Sports Park facilities in good shape for a week end of skating, tobogganing and snowshoeing.

A bus from the Auto Club of Detroit and another from Windsor Ontario, Canada arrived loaded with winter sports fans who spent the weekend. Eddie Chase, popular radio entertainer from Detroit radio station CKLW and his wife spent the weekend here enjoying winter sports. Eddie did a great deal of promotion work on his radio shows for the Grayling Park and especially for the Grayling Winter Sports Carnival.

A dance was held at the warming building at the park Saturday night in honor of the carnival workers. A good crowd attended to enjoy the dancing and to avail themselves of snacks as the lunch room remained open during the evening.

FINED ON TRUCK CRASH CHARGE

Loyal Rahn of Petoskey, driver of a lumber truck which was involved in a crash with a Canadian auto haulaway truck south of Grayling on US-27 on February 6 in which two men were severely injured and thousands of dollars of property damage incurred, pleaded guilty last Friday afternoon before Justice Arthur Clough of failure to place warning signs when his truck slid into the ditch and blocked the highway.

Rahn was fined \$20 and costs by Justice Clough. Rahn's semi-truck headed west while climbing a hill on US-27 headed south. The truck and trailer slid back down the hill and blocked the east side of the highway. While he was attempting to get the truck under control again, the northbound Canadian auto haulaway truck came over the hill headed north and crashed into the stalled lumber truck.

Grayling Bowling League

Men's League

Standings Feb. 23, 1953

1	Davis Jewelry	10
2	Budweiser	9
3	Boringers	8
4	United Drillers	7
5	Ausabre River Inn	6
6	Welsh Motors	5
7	Plaza Grill	4
8	Mid-West Linen	3
9	Grayling Linen	2
10	Pure Oil	1

11	Cason's Motel	4
12	Burrow's Market	3
13	Spikes Keg	2
14	Roosevelt Oil	1
15	Hanson's Cafe	0
16	Henson's Chevrolet	0

High single of week, Jarmain and Klinetti, 22 each.
High three, Klinetti 592.

Women's League

W. L.	
Tip Top Togs	53
Spikes	45
Ausable Insurance	44
Sorenson's Spt. Gds.	43
Plaza Grill	41
Alley Katz	38
Wayside Inn	31
Burns Hardware	27
Team single high: Burns 737, Plaza Grill 726, Spikes 722, Alley Kats 710, Tip Top Togs 714.	73
Team 3 game high: Plaza Grill 2125, Burns 2103, Alley Kats 2054, Spikes 2076, Tip Top Togs 2050.	2125
Individual high: W. LaGrow 187, K. Knave 185, C. Sorenson 183, E. Strong 183, E. Gierke 181. Three game high: W. LaGrow 487, C. Sorenson 481, K. Knave 486, P. Long 486, A. Gouthro 486.	487

M. M. Sunday School To Show Movie

Children of the nursery and primary departments of Michelson Memorial Church are invited to attend a movie at the church on Friday, February 27th at 3:30 P. M.

The movie is entitled "Jesus Friend of Little Children."

The children are invited to bring guests if they care to.

Michelson Men's Group Now Chartered

A new organization of Methodist Men in the Michelson Memorial Methodist church, Grayling, Michigan, has been chartered by Methodist's General Board of Lay Activities in Chicago.

The local group will become one of 10,000 Methodist Men organizations which the Board plans to charter by 1956.

It is estimated that 2,000,000 men in the Methodist Church are prospective members of Methodist Men clubs. According to Robert G. Mayfield, executive secretary of the Board, "We seek to mobilize through Methodist Men the tremendous power and enthusiasm of the men of the church. Our purpose is to give strength to the program of Christ and His Church through consecrated service of men in every local church of Methodism."

B. D. Engle is president of the newly formed group and Melvin K. Nelson, Secretary.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fenton attended the funeral of an aunt, Mrs. William Behrens in Thompsonville on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rommens of Grand Rapids spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Orr and wife of Traverse City visited the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Einer Rasmussen last week and Miss Karen accompanied them home for the week.

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The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at noon on Tuesday.

NOTICE — All classified ads are to be paid for in advance unless the advertiser has already established good credit at this office. Avalanche Office.

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WANTED TO BUY — Poplar saw logs. Bill DeWitt, Roscommon. Call 104. 12-251

WANTED — Junk and wrecked automobiles and all kinds of scrap metal. Highest prices paid. Hi-Way Auto Parts, 5 mi. south of Grayling on US-27. Jan. 29 ff

FOR SALE — Eleven room house on Huron St. Five bedrooms, bath, large living, dining and kitchen. Small basement. Two lots, \$5,000. Art Clough, Broker 500 McClellan St. Phone 4741-11-13-14

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FOR SALE — Cement Block, two bedroom Home. Furnished. A good buy at \$4,000. Willard Cornell, Doyle Realty Co. Phone 2821. Jan. 15 ff

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COUNTY NEWS

Barney Sadjak and Alan Long motored to Detroit Friday morning. Barney to pick up Corp. Richard Sadjak and Cap. Bob Cassidy and Alan a new car for Leng's Garage, Frederic.

Liland Charron has been filling in as chore boy around Frederic. Barneys Shuffleboard team took Norwoods 6-7 at Frederic last Thursday night. This Thursday Barneys team meets Horseshoe there.

Mike Gilpin, Dick Lawrence and one from Alba spent the weekend around Frederic hunting.

Acc. Leng of Traverse City was a caller in town one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sampson and Ben's father, Lew Tolmaugh of Buchanan arrived Thursday for several days' fishing and visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Corsaut and children of Mio visited Shirley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Corsaut, his sisters, the Leo and Martin Posts families over the weekend.

Lost, one pair windshields in brown case in or around Frederic, Friday night during the storm. Finder please leave with Kenny at Hinkle's Store.

Gilbert Cram visited his wife over the weekend.

Best wishes are in store on the Golden Wedding anniversary for Jim and Becky Tobin, Feb. 24. Their son and daughter-in-law held open house for them Sunday, Feb. 22.

P. T. A. bake sale Saturday was a success, heard several remarks made not enough home made bread and rolls.

Mr. and Mrs. Burke were callers in town over the weekend.

Stable Burke of Traverse City spent Saturday night and Sunday as guest of Barney Sadjak. Dick Lawrence of Alba is visiting in Frederic for a few days.

Mrs. and Mrs. Forest Putman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davis and family of Flushing were Sunday guests of the Fred Duncleys.

Mrs. Mary Sadjak and Corp. Richard Sadjak of Texas were Frederic callers Monday.

Barney's Shuffleboard met Al's Bar, Gaylord Sunday afternoon at Gaylord. Barney's won 5-4.

Corp. Richard Sadjak and Corp. Bob Cassidy stationed with the Air Force in Texas, arrived Friday night to spend till March 10th with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Sadjak and Mr. and Mrs. Frenchy Nugent.

Sorry to hear Earl Brown is on the sick list. His many Frederic friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Ray and Bea Smith of Traverse City called on Hank and Maggie Fryer Thursday of last week.

Little Rod Duncley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duncley is again on the sick list.

Mrs. Clarence Hill has returned home from Shaffers at Alma, after

caring for her new grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lozon are on a few days vacation. His brother, Ernie is helping out at the store.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Madill were weekend callers in Bay City.

A storm shower was held Monday night at Sportsmen's Hall for Mrs. Harold Moon of Frederic.

Orville Armstrong, husband of Mary Lu Wever and son of Mrs. Cleo Armstrong, left last week for the induction center in Detroit.

Corp. Richard Sadjak celebrated

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IS THE DATE OF OUR

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A Record Of Opportunity

Numerous novels have been written about the migration of people to America from many lands. None describes the reason for such migrations better than Vilhelm Moberg in his book "The Emigrants." In it he presents the dilemma of a Swedish couple one hundred years ago as they argue for and against coming to this country, in the following fictional scene: "They are both of them strong and healthy and accustomed to hard work, and that was all that they need bring along. Their ability to work; it was all America asked of them. Perhaps they must face as much drudgery as here, but they would do it in another spirit, with another hope, another joy. Because the great difference between the two countries was this: In America they could improve their lot through their own work."

Moberg's scene must actually have occurred in thousands of peasant cottages in many countries where political oppression and the rule of tyrants drove people by the millions to the freedom of America.

Now all around us we see the miracles wrought by people seeking to "improve their lot." Nowhere is the evidence of these miracles more striking than in agriculture. In America for the first time in thousands of years new methods and new machines were developed for working the soil. The Country Gentleman for January features an article entitled "New Machines for 1953." In picture and in word the article describes the modern farm equipment that has made this nation the most productive on earth.

A field harvester is shown that can handle up to 25 tons of corn or hay-silage per hour. Mechanized cotton-pickers are illustrated along with a sagebrush shredder, various types of bailers, harrows, manure spreaders, side-delivery rakes, picker-shellers, etc. These and countless other labor saving farm machines

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would cause the early immigrant to gaze in awe struck wonder and yet they are the direct result of the compelling force that drove him to America, the urge to better his lot. And they have done just that. They have cut down drudgery, increased production and lowered costs.

**In Grayling
23 Years Ago**

Interesting Items of News Gathered From the Files of the Avalanche of 23 Years Ago.

February 27, 1936

The Oakland Motor Car Company announces another addition to its nation-wide dealer organization in the appointment of Alfred Hanson as Oakland-Pontiac dealer here.

A card party was held by the Ladies National League at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Mosher last Wednesday evening. A very large crowd was in attendance. The first prize for pedro was won by Mrs. Elmer Olds, and Ernest Corwin, consolation prizes by Mr. and Mrs. Mosher. The pinochle-prizes were won by Mrs. Paul Lovley and Ben Pankow, consolation prizes by Mrs. Paul Feldhauser and John Wakeley. Mrs. Ben Pankow was the lucky one to win the penny prize.

A band has been organized under the direction of Bandmaster E. G. Clark. Committee, Frank Sales, president; E. G. Clark, vice president and director; LaVern Cushman, secy. and treas. Following is a list of members and no doubt there will be more later: Cornets, E. G. Clark, Harold McNeven, LaVern Cushman, Archie Cripps and DeVere Dawson, Alto, Morgan Paige, Middle LaMotte, Clarinets, William Heric; drums, T. J. Clark and Don Reynolds; snare, John Mathison; bass, Frank Sales and Lee Schram; trombones, Dr. C. G. Clippert, Floyd McClint, Lionel McClain, Jo Gildner, Marius Hanson; saxophones, Harry LaBarge, Lester

Olson, Samuel Smith, Farnham Matson, Esborn Olson. The boys are practicing in the old band room and expect to play at the basketball tournament in March.

Mrs. Archie Charron of Munising visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Kathryn Loskos from Friday to Monday.

Mrs. Axel Larson was hostess to her club Thursday afternoon. Games, visiting and sewing were enjoyed. Prizes went to Mrs. Jack Papendick a guest, Mrs.

Emery Craft and Mrs. Oscar Smith

46 Years Ago — February 28, 1907

Miss Martha Knibbs is visiting friends in Beaver Creek.

J. K. Hanson has almost fully recovered from his serious attack of pneumonia.

Miss Nelle Cary Welsh was four years old Friday and Mrs. Welsh entertained six little girls in her honor in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lewis and son, Mark, of Flint were in Grayling over the week end. Fire wiped out Mr. Lewis' drug store about a month ago and he says the new structure is nearly completed.

Mrs. Lloyd Masters of Detroit is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. N. Darveau.

Miss Margretha Nielsen left Friday for Grand Rapids to visit her sister, Miss Anna, who will accompany her on a trip to New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras.

Frank Ostrander returned to his home in Williamston, Michigan, after spending several weeks with his brothers, Elmer and Charles.

Sheriff Amidon has appointed B. F. Sherman of Maple Forest a deputy, which is all right for that locality.

Mrs. H. P. Hanson is making an extended visit in Johannesburg. She is with her sister, Mrs. Fred Larson.

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Registration Notice

For Biennial Spring Election

April 6th, 1953

To the Qualified Electors of the Townships and the City of Grayling, Crawford County.

State of Michigan

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the Michigan Election Law we the undersigned township and city clerks will on any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township or city not already registered who may apply personally to the clerk of the township or city in which said voter may reside, for such registration. Provided, however, that the clerk of said townships or city can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular, special or primary election and the day of such election.

The last day of General Registration does not apply to persons who voted under the Absent Voters Law.

Notice is hereby given that the clerks of the said townships and city will be at the usual place for registration.

On Monday, March 9th, 1953

THE LAST DAY

from 8:00 o'clock a. m. until 8:00 o'clock p. m. on each day for the purpose of reviewing the registration and registering such of the qualified electors in the said townships and city as shall properly apply thereto.

The name of no person except an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration and entitled under the Constitution to remain such resident to vote at the next election shall be entered in the registration book.

Dated February 16, 1953:

DAN C. BABBITT, Clerk
Grayling Township
PERCY HARMER, Clerk
Frederic Township
MARTHA J. PETERSON, Clerk
Maple Forest Township
GEORGE WOLFE, Clerk
Beaver Creek Township
ERNEST CORWIN, Clerk
South Branch Township
LOUISE HAEFKA, Clerk
Lovells Township
RUSSELL CARLSON, Clerk
City of Grayling

Woman's Club

Women's Club met at the High School on February 17th at 8:00 o'clock at which time Fred Bear president of the Bear Archery Company, showed movies of hunting Elk in Wyoming, shooting caribou, and hunting wild cat, all with bow and arrows. Frank Scott of the Archery Company was also a guest of the group.

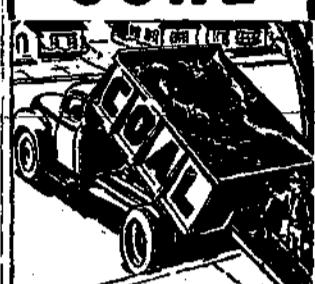
Mrs. John Ludeman was hostess of the meeting and the next meeting which is to be held on Tuesday, March 3rd she is to give a talk on her recent visit in Germany.

The following officers were elected recently for the ensuing year: Mrs. L. F. Hayes president,

Mrs. Carl Richardson, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Don Gothro, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Ted Wheeler, recording secy.; Mrs. Wesley LaGow, corresponding secy. and Mrs. Joseph Cinciala, treasurer.

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Michelson Memorial Church School

The regular staff meeting of the church school was held Sunday evening in the church. Plans are being made for a cafeteria supper to be held on April 9th. The money earned from this supper will be used to help defray the expenses of the youngsters who are earning their camp trips next summer. This will be a church school project and the parents of the children in the Sunday School will be asked to help with it.

The Banner Classes this week were Fourth Grade in the Junior Department and Seventh and Eighth Grades in the Intermediate Department.

In the Junior Department Marie Akers celebrated her birthday and Mike Puffer and Jimmy Casper were visitors. In the Primary Department Sharon Neal was a visitor. We are always happy to have visitors in our church school.

On the sick list this week are Mrs. Robert Funk and Marylin Millikin both of the Senior Department. Phil Smith took over Mrs. Funk's duties.

Senior Youth Fellowship will meet in the church on Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Lake Margrethe Water Levels

(Information furnished by U. S. Geological Survey)

Period of record, Nov. 12, 1942 to date.

Water level Feb. 19, '53 1133.85 ft.
Water level Feb. 19, '52 1134.10 ft.
Maximum level for period of record April 5, '43 1135.39 ft.
Minimum level for period of record Sept. 24-27, '48 1133.57 ft.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

Board of Review of Beaver Creek Township will meet on March 3rd and 9th at Beaver Creek Town Hall for the purpose of reviewing taxes.

George Wolfe, Clerk
26-5

MICHIGAN STATE OIL AND GAS LEASES

The oil and gas lease rights on the following lands will be offered at public auction beginning on Thursday, March 19, 1953 at 10:00 a. m., E.S.T., in the Industrial Room of the Y.M.C.A. Building, 301 West Lenawee Street, Lansing Michigan and continuing until all descriptions have been offered.

80 acres in T. 2 N. R. 15 W. 80 acres in T. 3 N. R. 14 W. Allegan County. 800 acres in T. 20 N. R. 4 E. Arenac County. 2,335 acres in T's 18 and 20 N. R. 5 W. 40 acres (proven) in T. 20 N. R. 6 W. Clare County. 40 acres (proven) in T. 23 N. R. 4 W. Crawford County. 1,800 acres in T's 19 and 20 N. R. 1 E. 120 acres (proven) in T. 17 N. R. 1 and 2 E. 84 acres (proven) in T. 17 N. R. 2 W. Gladwin County. 45 acres in T. 26 N. R. 11 and 12 W. Grand Traverse County. 200 acres in T. 19 N. R. 13 W. Lake County. 164 acres in T. 20 N. R. 17 W. Mason County. 975 acres in T. 22 N. R. 5 and 6 W. 400 acres in T. 23 N. R. 5 W. 7,856 acres in T. 24 N. R. 6 and 7 W. 40 acres (proven) in T. 23 N. R. 5 W. Missaukee County. 280 acres in T. 9 N. R. 14 and 15 W. Muskegon County. 721 acres in T. 11 and 12 N. R. 12 W. 80 acres in T. 15 N. R. 13 W. Newaygo County. 2,440 acres in T. 21 and 23 N. R. 8 E. 120 acres (proven) in T. 24 N. R. 1 and 2 E. Ogemaw County. 540 acres in T. 17 and 19 N. R. 8 W. 200 acres in T. 21 N. R. 10 W. Oscceola County. 80 acres (proven) in T. 25 N. R. 2 W. Otsego County. 1,440 acres in T. 21 N. R. 1 and 4 W. 560 acres in T. 23 N. R. 3 W. 983 acres in T. 24 N. R. 4 W. 120 acres (proven) in T. 24 N. R. 1 and 4 W. Roscommon County. 40 acres in T. 8 N. R. 13 E. St. Clair County. 120 acres in T. 21 N. R. 10 and 11 W. Wexford County.

Specific descriptions and further particulars upon request.

Department of Conservation
26-5 Gerald E. Eddy, Director

STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 20th day of February 1953.

Present, Honorable Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ami J. Adams, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the

claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said Court.

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at the 11th day of May 1953 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Robert F. Neafie
Judge of Probate

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



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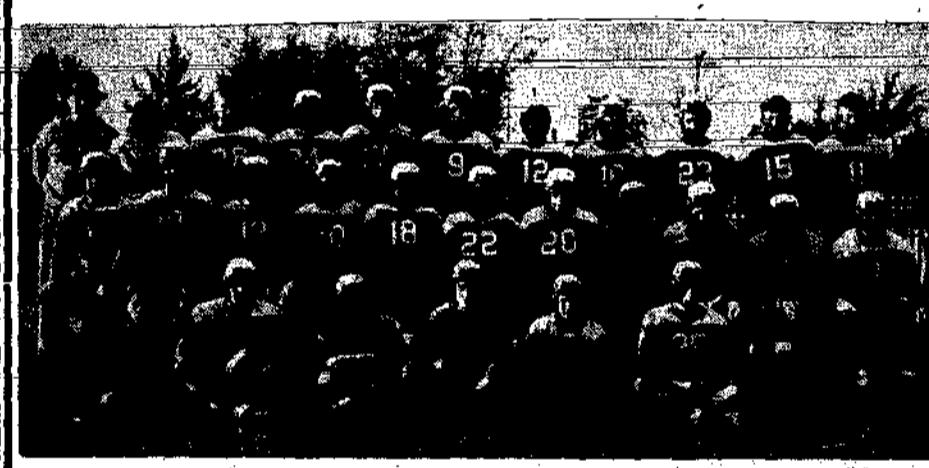
Seems the train was hurrying along, then came the screeching of brakes — some fellow had pulled the Emergency Stop cord.

When the conductor asked him why he did it, he said, "The train was just going too fast—I wanted to get you to slow down."

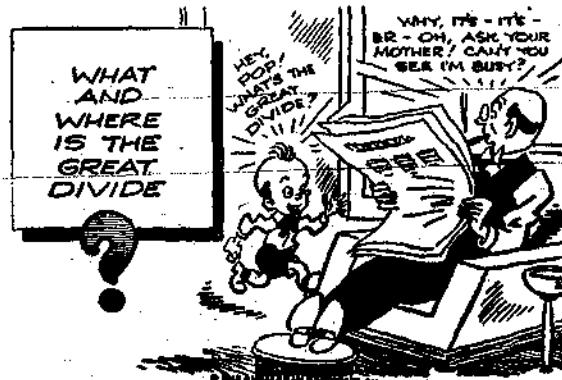
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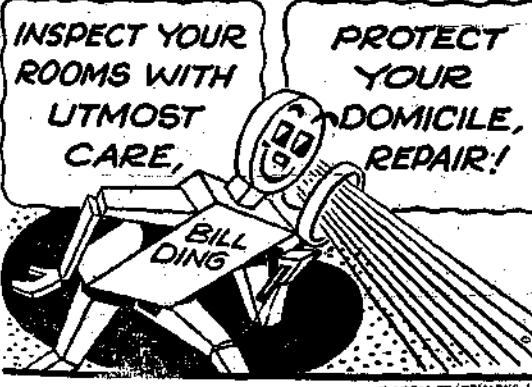
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Once a bountied animal in the state, the bobcat is now considered one of the most elusive of our "game" animals, pursued by a small and quite select group of hardy souls thru the heavy snows of Michigan's north country.

Successor To The Lynx
Once upon a time the Canada Lynx and the bobcat both frequented Michigan forests. Today only the bobcat survives — and actually thrives. A predator in many ways, the big 'cat' eats rabbits, birds and have been known to attack and kill a deer. A bit shy by nature the bobcat avoids close contact with humans, staying deep in swamps during the daylight hours, traveling mile after mile cross-country at night in search of food.

Cat Hounds Well Trained
For the hunter who elects to try his hand at bobcats, good hounds are essential — and scarce! They must be true to the trail, never

diverted by any other track when on a 'cat' and long-winded. Many a hunt will begin just at sunrise with the discovery of fresh track at the edge of a swamp, and will end at dark with the 'cat, hounds and hunters, in that order, still weaving their way thru cover so thick that it almost excludes daylight!

Course Is Unpredictable
A bobcat may tree in thirty minutes or less. Or he may end the chase hiding under a thick brush heap. Some will choose to challenge the dogs, backing up to a big stump and swinging a lethal, claw-packed punch at any hound foolish enough to step into range. Others will cross one swamp a mile or two wide in a bee line, cross a high popple ridge to another larger swamp maybe five miles square, and run exasperating circles all day long until dogs and hunters are totally bewildered, and more often than not, so far from the nearest road that it's long after dark before the vanquished stumble back to habitation, footsore and weary, outwitted by a Michigan bobcat! A day's rest for the hounds (and hunters), and they're back in the same big swamp hunting the same big 'cat' with a tenacity to match that of the earliest, hardest pioneers in Michigan Outdoors!

has been permanently lowered." The Wisconsin conservation department's Bulletin magazine for February also sounds a warning against letting that state's herd build up to the size it reached before 1949, when an active program of management was started.

"Hunting," says the magazine, "will not live up to its possibilities if Wisconsin again becomes so obsessed with 'saving' deer as to let a growing herd largely starve and go-to-waste, as in the 1930's and 1940's. With much of the brush now pole size or larger, out of reach of deer, the state cannot afford to run its limited deer food supply a second time by permitting the herd to outgrow it again."

A recent article in Pennsylvania's Game News magazine points out that the heyday of the big kill in that state is already past. Diminishing populations in Pennsylvania, says the article, are "inevitable, no matter what we do." Closing the season entirely would only hasten the process. Shooting the deer down to rock bottom would help but little because now it is too late. There would be no recovery because there is no food for recovery."

Michigan game men bolster these statements, saying diminishing food supplies mean fewer deer in the future. They say the big problems of deer herd management lie in the future. Last year's "any deer" season, they say, was only the start of a long-range program to bring herd and range food supplies into closer balance.

LOCAL RESIDENT'S FATHER PASSES ON

Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Madison Funeral home at The Heights, for Charles Cullen Webb who died at Mercy hospital in Grayling Wednesday following a three-year illness. Burial was in Lake City cemetery under the auspices of the American Legion Houghton-Higgins Post No. 245. Born Feb. 1, 1897 in Ohio, Mr. Webb had been a resident of Houghton Lake for the past 30 years. He had formerly lived in Lake City where he was married Oct. 15, 1923. A veteran of World War I, he operated a grocery store. Surviving, besides his widow, Mary E., are: his stepmother, Cora Webb, of Lake City; three sons, William, of Cheboygan, Thomas and Benjamin, both of Houghton Lake; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Stuck, of Grayling; a brother, Thomas Webb, of Lake City; and three grandchildren.

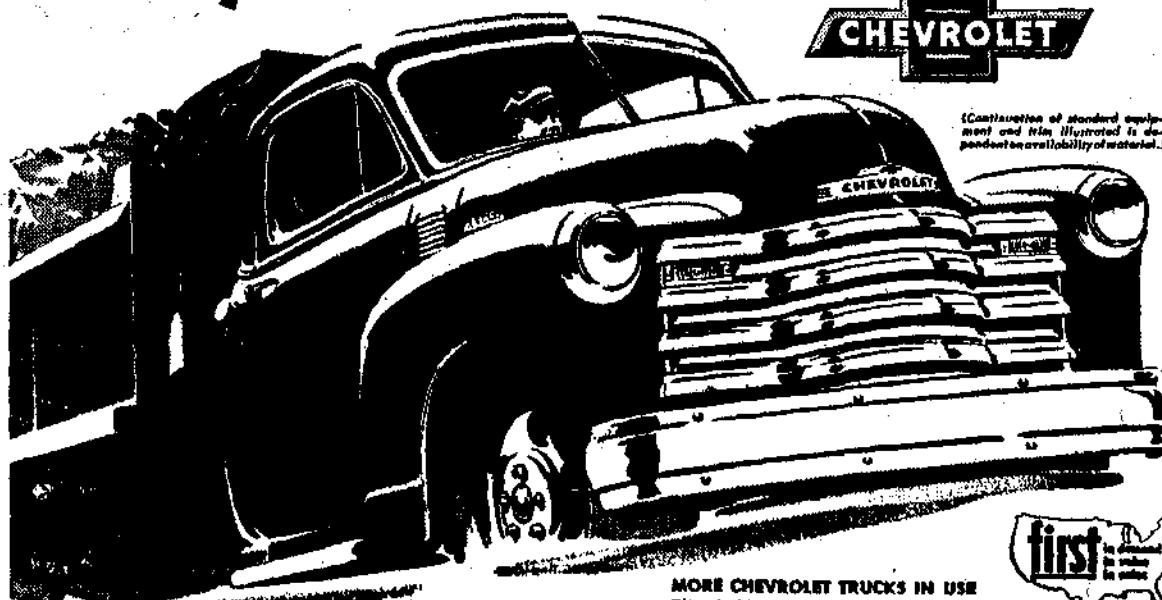
RITES READ FOR FORMER RESIDENT

Rites were read for Hattie Ann Bedore Bissonette Proper of Flint, Michigan, at the Holy Family Church, Grand Blanc, Michigan at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 21st. Fr. John Bush officiated and interment was in Linden, Michigan. The remains were at the Clarence W. Hill Funeral Home, Grand Blanc, Michigan preceding the service.

Mrs. Proper was born in Canada to Peter and Harriet Bedore on September 12, 1881 and was a resident of Grayling for many years. She passed away at Hurley Hospital, Flint, Michigan, on Wednesday, February 18th.

Surviving are three sons, George Bissonette of Grand Blanc and Ernest and Claude of Flint; a daughter, Mrs. Roy Tunningley of Romulus; 12 grandchildren; 2 great-grandchildren; 1 brother, Bert Bedore of Saginaw; and several nieces and nephews.

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frozen at 15 mills the revenue was no longer adequate for the townships, counties and schools. City taxpayers were being overburdened with property taxes and those cities which had voted to come under the 15 mill limitation found themselves in serious financial difficulty. Public debts mounted.

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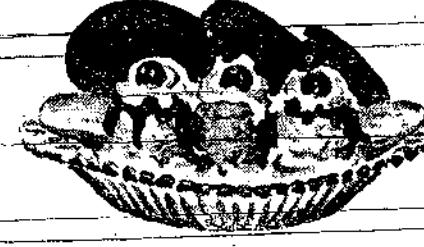
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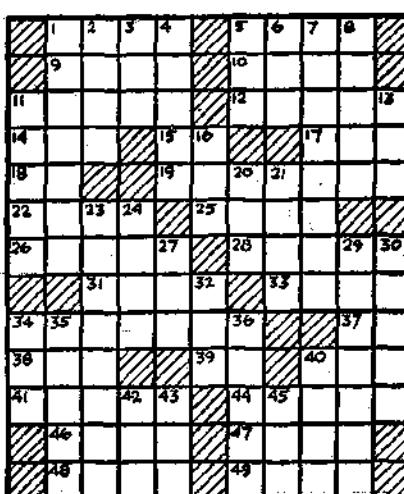
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LAST WEEK'S ANSWER



the West line of the Southwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of Southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 12, T 26 N. R. 4 West, thence North 846.4 ft., thence East 328.8 ft., thence South 846.4 ft., thence West, 328.8 ft., to the point of beginning, the land here described containing approximately 5 acres, more or less, according to the survey thereof, and is a part of Southwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of Southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 12. Also a piece or parcel of land bounded by and included within a line commencing at the Northeast corner of the South east $\frac{1}{4}$ of Southwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 12, T. 26 N. R. 4 West, thence 328.8 ft., due East, thence due North approximately 40 ft. to the Westerly bank of the AuSable River, thence following said AuSable River in a Northwestwesterly direction approximately 200 ft., thence due West approximately 180 ft. to a point on the East line of the Northeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of Southwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section, thence due South approximately 180 ft. to the point of beginning, said land being a part of the Northwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of Southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 12, and containing approximately $\frac{1}{4}$ acre, more or less, according to the survey thereof. Also a right-of-way for ingress and egress only, 20 ft. in width and situated parallel with and contiguous to the west line of the East $\frac{1}{4}$ of West $\frac{1}{4}$ of Southwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of Southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 12, also a right-of-way for ingress and egress only, 20 ft. in width on the road running East and West across the Southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ of Southwest $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 12, from the North and South County Road now existing on the Premises to the West line of property.

Dated at Detroit, Michigan, November 28, 1952.

Caroline Grotz and Walter B. Rensel, Mortgagors.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County on the 30th day of January 1953.

Present, Honorable Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Louise Gehring, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said Court.

It is Ordered, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the Sixth day of April 1953 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate 5-12-19-26

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County on the 2nd day of February, 1953.

Present, Hon. Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of William Ferguson, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said Court.

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 4th day of May 1953, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Ordered that the 3rd day of March A. D., 1953 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three consecutive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate.

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Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate 5-12-19-26

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County on the 7th day of February 1953.

Present, Honorable Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Marius Hanson, Deceased.

Melvin J. Marshall having filed in said Court his petition praying that said Court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 16th day of March 1953 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County on the 7th day of February 1953.

Present, Honorable Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of

John H. Johnson, Deceased.

Melvin J. Marshall having filed in said Court his petition praying that said Court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 16th day of March 1953 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County on the 7th day of February 1953.

Present, Honorable Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of

John H. Johnson, Deceased.

Melvin J. Marshall having filed in said Court his petition praying that said Court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is Ordered, That the 16th day of March 1953 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 4th day of February 1953.

Present, Honorable Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Stephan, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said Court.

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 13th day of April 1953 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

By order of
Robert F. Neafie,
Judge of Probate
5-12-19-26

By order of
Dan C. Babbitt,
Grayling Twp. Clerk.

NOTICE

The date for filing of petition for the offices of two City Councilmen and one Justice of the Peace for the term of four years each and one Constable for the term of two years shall not be later than March 7th at 12:00 o'clock noon of this year 1953.

Petitions shall contain no less than twenty nor more than forty of the qualified registered electors of the City.

Russell Carlson
City Clerk

NOTICE

Board of Review for Grayling Township will meet at Grayling Township Hall on March 3rd for reviewing the assessment roll and on March 9th for reviewing complaints. Veterans eligible for land tax exemptions must file affidavit with the supervisor before March 9th.

John McMillan,
Supervisor
19-26

NOTICE

Board of Review for the City of Grayling will meet at the Council Room on Tuesday, March 3, Monday and Tuesday, March 9th and 10th, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. for the purpose of reviewing the tax roll and hearing any complaints.

Russell Carlson
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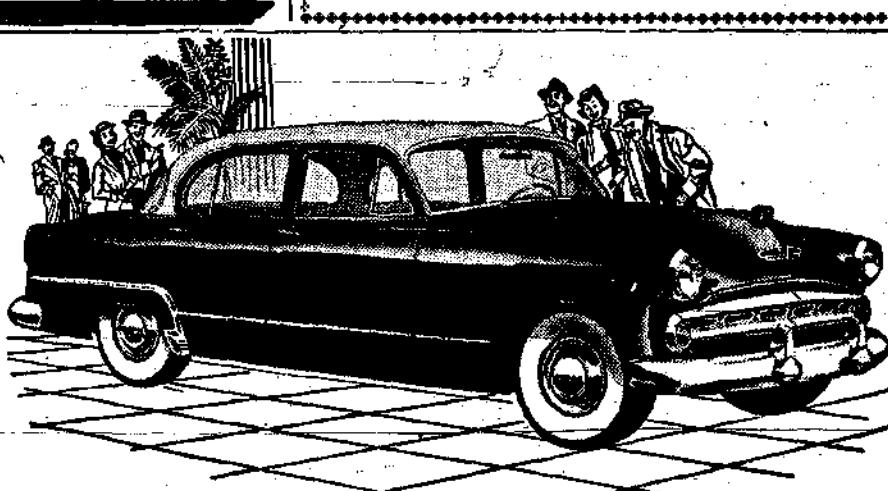
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Bits O' Talk

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffith Tuesday of last week for Cleveland, Ohio. They were accompanied as far as Detroit by Charles Moore who continued on to Port Huron to spend the remainder of the week with her son-in-law, Mrs. Lee Pierce. Mr. and Mrs. drove down Sunday to get there.

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Mrs. Leo Jeambert and daughter, Joyce, and Wayne Hater of Detroit spent the weekend with Mrs. Jeambert's mother, Mrs. A. F. Gierke and other relatives.

Mrs. Dan Babbitt entered Otsego County Memorial Hospital, Gaylord, Sunday, where she underwent surgery.

Roy Trudeau returned Monday after spending the weekend in Ishpeming to attend the Ski meet there.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fay left Sunday for Melbourne, Florida, to take their daughter, Mrs. Don Cauliflower and two sons there to join her husband who is stationed at Patrick Air Force Base.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dean Hanson and son, Steve, of East Leroy visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson.

Mary special offers on leading magazine subscriptions good until March 31. We take care of renewals too. Nola Laurant. Phone 3291.

Reginald Sheehy of Waterford spent Sunday here visiting his family.

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NOTICE

The Board of Review of Lovells Township will meet at Lovells Township Hall on March 3rd and 9th from 9:00 A. M. to 4:00 P. M. for the purpose of reviewing the tax role and hearing complaints. Veterans eligible for land tax exemption must file affidavits with the supervisor before March 9th.

Wm. T. Miller,
Supervisor.

ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kasper. The Kaspers accompanied her to Detroit and spent a few days there.

Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport, Dr. and Mrs. B. Elmore Henig, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Hayes, Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clipper, and Dr. Stanley Stealy attended a meeting of the North Central Medical Society held in Roscommon last Wednesday evening.

One out of every 8 persons last year participated in Red Cross activities through a contribution of \$1.00 or more to its support.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson spent several days in Grand Rapids last week visiting their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dawson.

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Mrs. John Gross**Feted On Birthday**

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gross were hosts at a family dinner Sunday to celebrate the birthday of Mr. Gross' mother, Mrs. John Gross, who was 81 years old on that day. Present were two of her daughters, Mrs. Clara Lietz and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Isenhauer and family.

Mrs. Gross has three sons and three daughters. Two sons, George of California, Frank of Grayling and a daughter, Rose, of Detroit were unable to attend the celebration.

Michelson Memorial Church School

Mary Ann Engle celebrated a birthday anniversary in the Junior Department. Dale Pettengill, Jim Burkh, Tom Hilton and Norman Worthman were visitors. Marian Millikan and Mrs. R. A. Funk were back in the Senior Department, although Mr. Phil Smith carried on with the teaching. Mrs. Tom Haugh was absent. With illness taking its toll in every department, Mrs. Ted Wheeler's

Fifth Grade was the only honor class in the school.

The Bible Study class sponsored by the W. S. C. S. met Monday evening as scheduled.

A joint party is planned for the two Youth Fellowship groups for Thursday. The young people will meet at the church after school and go out to the Park for skiing etc.; then return to the church for a chili supper. The Senior Fellowship is scheduled to go to Moorswood Sunday afternoon, meeting at the church about 2:00 P. M. The Fellowship will provide the program for the evening church service, with Rev. R. C. Puffer preaching, after being entertained at supper by the Moorswood Fellowship. Any one interested is cordially invited to attend the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Rober: J. Lozon left Saturday for a few days visit in Bay City, Saginaw and Owosso.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunckley and children of Walled Lake spent the weekend with their parents, the Warren Horners and the Lyle Dunckleys.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles LeClair (Mary) and son spent the weekend with their parents, the Lyle Dunckleys. They are from Sarnia, Canada.

Mrs. George Lodge, Mrs. Calla Barber, Mrs. Betty Lou Nowlin and Kenneth Allen left Saturday to attend a birthday dinner in Pontiac for C. S. Barber's 81st birthday. The first time in 14 years all children have been together.

The Leonard Doyons left Saturday, having moved back to Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burke of Saginaw came up Saturday, but found their restaurant snowed in so they returned to Saginaw Sunday.

The 50th wedding anniversary dinner for the family of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Tobin was held Sunday at Wirt's Lone Pine Restaurant. 18 were in attendance. Later an open house reception was held at their sons home, Mr. and Mrs. Max Tobin. Congratulations

Becky and Jim.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weaver and Noah Weaver of Buchanan spent the weekend visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Kenneth Allen will be driving a new car this week.

Baby shower for Mrs. Harold Moon Monday night at Sportsman's Club was well attended. A nice lunch. Games were enjoyed. Mrs. Moon received some very nice gifts.

The George Hortons will arrive home this week from Walled Lake, where they have been visiting since November.

Otis Weaver came home from Savannah, Mo., hospital much improved. Mrs. Weaver has been in Detroit for two weeks and came home with Otis.

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Pat and Margie Harwood spent a few days last week with relatives in Lovells.

Cheerful Givers Club met last Thursday with Marie Laurie with an attendance of ten members present. All enjoyed the afternoon and the delicious luncheon together. Next meeting to be at Ruth Caid's home, Thursday evening, March 5th.

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